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EL PASO, TEXAS, THURSDAY  
EVENING, JULY 30, 1914.  
WEATHER FORECAST.  
Partly cloudy tonight and tomorrow.  
Copper, 15—Stocks, lower—Grains,  
higher—Livestock, show—Mexican bank  
notes, 51—Villas currency, 27 1/2—Chi-  
huahua currency, 25—Carranza cur-  
rency, 21 1/2.  
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# EL PASO HERALD

## EUROPE IS DRIFTING INTO WAR

### Russia Boldly Answers German Demand WON'T HALT RALLYING OF ARMY END BLOODSHED NOW, U. S. URGES NATIONS GATHER ARMIES FAST

**PREACHER GETS \$600.00  
TELLS HOW HE LIVES**  
Middlebury, Vt., July 30.—Even the  
utmost scripping does not suffice to  
make ends meet for many country  
preachers whose salaries are wholly  
inadequate, according to Rev. M. A.  
Cutler of East Jaffrey, N. H. At  
Wednesday's session of the Rural  
Life conference at Middlebury col-  
lege, he told how he had managed  
to raise a family on a very meager  
income.  
"For 27 years," said Mr. Cutler,  
"I have been pastor in a little coun-  
try church with a salary of \$600 or  
less, house rent to come out of that,  
leaving a salary of \$500 with which  
to live and raise a family.  
"Financially, the problem is im-  
possible of solution after the usual  
way. Therefore, I have worked  
among workers, as a citizen among  
other citizens, as a farmer, carpenter  
and office holder, nearly doubling my  
income in this manner; educating my  
children, winning the respect and  
confidence of others, really preach-  
ing through practice and succeeding  
in the task."

**Kaiser Is Now Expected to  
Rush Ahead With Mob-  
ilization of Forces.**  
**GENERAL OUTBREAK  
AT ONCE FEARED**  
**Nervous Tension Between  
Great Nations Has Almost  
Reached Breaking Point.**  
LONDON, Eng., July 30.—An Ex-  
change Telegraph company's dis-  
patch from St. Petersburg says  
that Sergei Sazonov, Russian foreign  
minister, replied to the German note,  
stating that the mobilization of the  
Russian army could not be stopped.  
As a result of this answer, Germany  
is now expected to rush ahead with  
the mobilization of the Kaiser's vast  
armies for war. Formal declarations  
of war on the part of Russia, Germany  
and France are looked for within the  
next few days.  
**War Tension Acute.**  
Germany's demand and Russia's  
answer added one more danger point  
to the critical European situation, al-  
ready sharply acute. The nervous ten-  
sion in all countries of the old world  
had almost reached its utmost limits  
when this fresh point cropped out.  
At the same time it was announced  
that orders had been sent to all the  
officers and all of the men of the gen-  
eral reserves to hold themselves in  
readiness.  
It had been pointedly hinted a few  
days ago that a general war was al-  
most certain when once it started.

**GERMANY CALLS ON  
CZAR TO EXPLAIN**  
Berlin, Germany, July 30.—A note  
dispatched by the German govern-  
ment to St. Petersburg this morning  
gives Russia 24 hours to explain her  
intentions with regard to mobilization.  
Grand duke Ernest of Hesse, brother  
of empress Elizabeth Fedorovna of  
Russia, was sent by emperor William  
to St. Petersburg today in a last en-  
deavor to arrange peace.  
In diplomatic quarters here it was  
stated that the note to Russia asked  
three questions—the object of the  
mobilization, whether it was directed  
against Austria-Hungary, and whether  
Russia was willing to order a stoppage  
of the mobilization.  
In the meantime all preparatory or-  
ders for a mobilization of the German  
army were issued.  
All the officers were recalled and no  
leave is to be granted.  
The railroad authorities have been  
given special orders.

**GERMAN RESERVES  
ARE HELD READY**  
Berlin, Germany, July 30.—Prelim-  
inary instructions were sent today by  
the German war department to all offi-  
cers and soldiers of the reserve to hold  
themselves in readiness to join the  
colors.  
The officers of the regular army had  
already received instructions for the mo-  
bilization of their units.

**SCREAMING SHELLS  
GREET THE INVADERS**  
Nish, Serbia, July 30.—The invading  
Austrian troops advanced today some  
20 miles to the southwest of Belgrade  
and an artillery duel was in progress  
this morning near Kichin and Semend-  
ria.  
**GERMAN RAILROAD  
MEN ARE ARMED**  
Berlin, Germany, July 30.—State rail-  
way employees armed with carbines and  
ball cartridges were placed on duty to-  
day at all the railroad bridges and cul-  
verts throughout Germany.

**HALT WAR, IS  
DICTUM TO  
REBELS**  
Carbajal's Plea to U. S. Re-  
sults in Pressure Being  
Brought on Carranza.  
**FURTHER FIGHTING  
INHUMANE, IS PLEA**  
Formal Armistice or Infor-  
mal Cessation of Hostil-  
ities Is Urged.

**MITTANTS SEARCH  
PALACE FOR KING**  
London, Eng., July 30.—Mrs. Dacre  
Fox and another militant suffragette to-  
day raided Buckingham palace in a  
further effort to present a petition to  
King George. Both were arrested be-  
fore they got far within the precincts  
of the palace.  
A third woman, meantime, had  
climbed herself to the rafters around  
the grounds and was in the middle of  
a speech when she was arrested.

**Orders Five Tons of  
Barley by Mail; Gets  
\$160 for Hauling It**  
Phoenix, Ariz., July 30.—Five tons of  
barley, en route from Mesa to Snow-  
flake, Navajo county, by parcel post,  
passed through Phoenix. It was the  
largest single parcel post shipment ever  
made in Arizona.  
The Mesa Milling company was the  
consignor and E. R. DeWitt, of Snow-  
flake, the consignee. The barley was  
packed in 50-pound sacks.  
When DeWitt ordered the barley the  
company found that the freight rate  
to Holbrook, the railroad station near-  
est to Snowflake, was \$1 a hundred.  
But Snowflake is 30 miles from Hol-  
brook and the government would trans-  
port the barley in 50-pound parcels, for  
about a hundred. So the grain went by  
mail.  
Another peculiar feature of the situa-  
tion, however, is that DeWitt has the  
mail carrying contract between Hol-  
brook and Snowflake. He is paid \$1.50  
a hundred for hauling parcel post mat-  
ter. Therefore he will receive \$160 for  
hauling his own barley home.

**Sunday Selling Does  
Not Pay in Phoenix;  
Saloonists To Close**  
Phoenix, Ariz., July 30.—Phoenix has  
lost her Sunday thrif. This was  
demonstrated when the city commis-  
sioner licensed the three leading hotels  
to keep their bars open on Sundays for  
guests. The hotels tried it one Sunday  
and now announce that the demand was  
so small that their profits were not  
enough to pay the bartenders. Phoenix  
has had Sunday closing seven or eight  
years.  
**Edition of the Bible  
To Be Printed in the  
Navajo Indian Language**  
Holbrook, Ariz., July 30.—An edition  
of the Bible in the Navajo Indian lan-  
guage will shortly be published by the  
American Bible society, of New York.  
It was prepared by Rev. W. R. John-  
ston, a Presbyterian missionary station-  
ed at Indian Wells, Navajo county.

**STRIKE FIGURES IN  
DEMOCRATIC PARLEY**  
Denver, Colo., July 30.—Issues grow-  
ing out of the Colorado coal miners  
strike were prominent when the Demo-  
cratic state assembly met today to se-  
lect candidates for the party's ballot  
at the statewide primaries of Septem-  
ber 8. The contest centered about the  
endorsement of candidates for govern-  
ment.

**AMERICANS MAY BE  
HELD IN EUROPE**  
Paris, France, July 30.—Many Ameri-  
can tourists, apprehensive of being  
caught in Europe without considerable  
quantities of cash, have been holding  
checks on New York. On Tuesday they  
received 5 francs and 15 centimes for  
each dollar. Today only 5 francs were  
offered them.  
A semipalm has broken out among  
some of the American travelers, who  
see the possibility of being kept in  
Europe indefinitely, should a general  
war break out, as nearly half of the  
passenger steamers probably would  
cease running on trans-Atlantic lines.

**ROTARY CLUB AIDS BUDGET  
GIVES \$100 TO THE BOOST FUND**  
ONE hundred dollars towards the budget fund of the chamber of commerce were subscribed by the El Paso Rotary club at the weekly luncheon at Hotel Sheldon Thursday.  
This is the first subscription to come from any such organization in El Paso and is expected to be followed by subscriptions from other similar organizations and lodges.  
The subscription followed a talk by Robert Krakauer, president of the chamber of commerce, on the work being done by the committee. President Claiborne Adams, of the Rotary club, who is a member of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce, invited the Rotarians to assist the soliciting committee Thursday afternoon, and a number of volunteers agreed to go.  
A. E. Rowlands, vice president of the Rotary club, read an article on Rotarianism at the Thursday luncheon.  
The luncheon was largely attended.

**CAILLAUX'S FIRST WIFE,  
WHO TRICKED LABOR**  
THE perils and horrors of a vast general war menaced every great capital in Europe today, and the extreme gravity of the situation was every-  
where recognized.  
Premier Asquith and Sir Edward Grey called on all parties in the British Isles to join in efforts to avert the immeasurable calamity of hostilities to their countries. Germany's emperor conferred at length with the imperial chancellor and the ministers of war and marine, and later reserve officers re-  
ceived orders to mobilize.  
**RUSSIA GATHERS FORCES.**  
Russia proceeded with her mobilization of a large number of troops.  
President Poincare and the French cabinet decided to meet daily.  
The French defensive forces took extensive precautionary measures.  
Austrian invaders and Serbian troops came into contact on Serbian terri-  
tory and hundreds of casualties were said to have resulted.  
**FLEETS ARE ASSEMBLED.**  
The whereabouts of the main British fleet is unknown since its departure  
Wednesday from Portland under sealed orders.  
The German battle squadrons are concentrated at Kiel and Wilhelm-  
shaven.  
The French fleet has taken steps to prepare for eventualities.  
**JAPAN READY TO JOIN.**  
Japan is said to have declared its readiness to join its ally, Great Britain.  
A German gunboat hurriedly quit Capetown today and went to sea.  
The German and British fleets in the far east have been concentrated  
at their chief stations.  
All foreign students were ordered to leave German schools.  
**GOLD IS HOARDED.**  
Stock markets everywhere in Europe have virtually ceased operations, and  
the leading banking institutions have taken measures to preserve their stocks  
of gold.

**CARRANZA STARTS  
HIS ARMY SOUTH**  
While Francisco Villa and his men  
are resting at Chihuahua and Tur-  
reco, Carranza has started his troops  
southward. The advance guard of  
his forces is moving toward Mexico  
City.  
Advices received here Thursday  
morning stated that Gen. Jesus Car-  
ranza has left Guadalupe for the  
south. Gen. Pablo Gonzalez and Gen.  
Carrera Torres have left San Luis Po-  
ton for the south. More than 10,000  
men are moving with the two divi-  
sions.  
Federal colonels Pedro Quintana and  
Miguel Ponce, captured at San Luis  
Potosi by the constitutionalists, have  
been sentenced to death, accord-  
ing to information received here  
Thursday.  
Lieut. Col. Frederico Montes has  
been appointed governor of the state  
of Queretaro. He was an aid to pres-  
ident Madero, and joined the Consti-  
tutional army with 14 machine guns,  
2000 rounds of ammunition and 2000  
men.

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